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The Elba Clipper

F.T.A. A. HOLDS REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

The monthly meeting of the F.T.A. A. was held in the high school auditorium Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Sam Rowe, secretary, read minutes of the last meeting and Mrs. Fred Harper gave the devotional.

Supt. C. C. Dixon spoke briefly on the Crippled Children's drive and urged all to contribute to the worthy cause, stating that the funds would benefit two outstanding members of the Senior class.

A committee composed of Mrs. L. P. Morrow, Mrs. Wayland Young and Mrs. J. O. English was named to work with Mrs. Margaret S. Haire, county nurse, in the clinic for pre-school age children.

The annual Senior class party was discussed and the following committee appointed on arrangements: Mrs. Wesley Ham, Mrs. Pearl Childs and Mrs. Mayo Prescott.

Officers elected for the year 1941-42 were: President—Mrs. W. C. Braswell; Vice-President—Mrs. Sam Rowe; Secretary—Mrs. Fred Harper; Treasurer—Mrs. R. L. Cooper; Parliamentarian—Mrs. Mayo Prescott.

Mrs. L. S. Rainer introduced the program, which consisted of a reading by Mrs. Paul Rowe; a talk on safety by Mr. Alton Strain; and a piano solo, "Humoresque," by Mrs. Arden Bradley.

Mrs. Grevell Tillman issued an invitation to the public to attend the chapel program sponsored by her on Friday morning, which will feature a program by Mr. Strain and his orchestra.

The third grade, taught by Mrs. Hazel Jackson, and the first grade, Mrs. Dixie Deal, teacher, presented the master's attendance prize in the elementary school and the junior two class, Mrs. Roberta Childs, teacher, was winner in the high school.

MULE FOR SALE—Good farm mule, price \$75, for cash or will accept for corn, hay, cows or pigs; will make broodmare, Roy Hutchison, New Brockton, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bonneau had as their guests for Easter Sunday, Leontine and Mrs. C. R. Bonneau and Mrs. Sadie Donaghe of Camp Blending, Fla., who were in the city on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Rowe and Mrs. Lander Curren and baby daughter and Miss Lona Summerville of Greenville, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Rowe and son, Bonneau, of Enterprise, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jackson and son, Harry, of Opp, Messrs. Conner Devane and Frank Clark.

Miss Emma Margaret Cooper came down from Montgomery to spend the weekend with her mother, Mrs. L. C. Cooper, and family.

Misses Madge Page, Betty and Jean Hartley of New Orleans, La., spent the past weekend in Elba, guests of Mr. and Mrs. James English.

For Value Received

By B. N. SMITH

(McClure Syndicate—WNU Service.)

DR. LA MOTT looked at the small, exquisite woman in the chair before him. Vaguely he sought to bridge the chasm of those ten intervening years.

"You knew Harvey died, didn't you, Louis?"

"No, I didn't. I'm sorry," she said abruptly. "He died long ago," she said. "I never knew that he was not for him. And, of course, Dolores being Dolores, it was no doubt best. Still, if she had loved him, instead of Harvey, perhaps."

"Ten years is a long time, Dolores," he said slowly. "Tell me about yourself. What have you been doing?"

"I'm afraid I haven't been useful, like you, Louis. I've been a lighted candle, but I've tried to make a good job of raising Harvey. He's a good boy, but he's a little odd."

"Let's see. How old is he now?"

"He's fifteen," she said. "He's a good boy, but he's a little odd."

"But not his mother's disposition, I've trained him away from that. I've made him my own. Then he's a good boy, but he's a little odd."

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S 1/4 SW 1/4 less two acres in SW corner and less the acre in the NE corner in SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and less 1/2 acre in NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, all in Section 21, Tp. 6, Range 20, situated in Coffee County, Alabama.

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STATE'S DEFENSE PROJECTS TOTAL \$1/2 MILLION DOLLARS

The Junior Music Club met last Wednesday in New Brockton in the home of Madge Jones, with to that, as of March 1, there were 33 certified WPA national defense projects approved in Alabama and aggregating approximately \$3,500,000 in WPA funds alone. This is exclusive of road projects designated as of strategic importance.

The greatest portion of these funds was for airport construction and for airport facilities. Colonel Henderson stated. Funds for airports, excluding those of the Army and the National Guard, totaled \$7,444, while \$1,888,864 was provided for Army airports in the State.

Three new civil airports in Alabama are now under construction by WPA and are among those certified by the War Department as national defense projects. These are located at Foley, 350 acres; at Wetumpka, 1,000 acres; and at 701 acres. Another civil, or municipal, airport is also under construction at Gadsden and covers 560 acres, making a total of 2,221 acres in additional airports in the Mountain home.

These hundred and fifteen WPA workers were employed on these jobs as of March 1, while 141 workers have been engaged in the construction of an additional runway and the extension of a runway in the Mountain home. The decorations consisted of early spring flowers.

W. Kendrick, teacher of the class, gave the devotional following the call to order by the pastor, Rev. C. H. Seibert.

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